

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In Re Application of</b>	)	
	)	<b>For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR</b>
<b>Samir S. Soliman</b>	)	<b>OPTIMIZING SYSTEM-ACCESS AND</b>
	)	<b>SOFT-HANDOFF PARAMETERS</b>
	)	<b>BASED ON LOCATION</b>
<b>Serial No. 09/965,187</b>	)	<b>INFORMATION</b>
	)	
<b>Filed: September 25, 2001</b>	)	<b>Group No. 2643</b>

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed July 19, 2006, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on October 19, 2006. Applicants respectfully request that the response period for the outstanding Office Action mailed July 19, 2006 due October 19, 2006, be extended one (1) months under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to November 19, 2006

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